

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

BEAVER COUNTY, ss:

To the Honorable the Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver County:

The petition of John Boss
of the Township of Harmony in said county, and a native of
Switzerland, respectfully sheweth: That he declared on oath before the
Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver county, Pennsylvania, on the 8th
day of June, A. D. 1892, that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen
of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, particularly to the ~~Queen of Great Britain and Ireland and~~
~~Empress of India~~, The Government of Switzerland that at the time of his arrival he
was under eighteen years of age; that he has continued to reside in the United States since that
period; that for three years previous to his arrival at full age it was and still is, bona fide his
intention to become a citizen of the United States, and of renouncing forever all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the ~~Queen~~
~~of Great Britain and Ireland and Empress of India~~, Government of Switzerland, of
whom he was at the time a subject; that your petitioner has resided within the United States
upwards of five years, and in the State of Pennsylvania one year; both periods immediately preceding
this, his application to become a citizen of the United States; and that he has never borne any heredit-
ary title, or been of any of the orders of notability, in his own or any other country.

He therefore prays that, on his making the proof and taking the oath prescribed
by law, he may be admitted a citizen of the United States of America; and he will
ever pray, etc.

I, John Boss, the petitioner above named, do swear that
the facts set forth in this petition are true, that for upwards of three years it has been
bona fide my intention to become a citizen, that I will support the Constitution of the
United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and adjure forever all alleg-
iance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and par-
ticularly to the ~~Government of~~ Government of Switzerland, of whom I
was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 8 day of June A. D. 1892 } John Boss
A. J. Lawrence Clerk
Prothonotary.

I, Gottfried Thumm of the Township of Harmony
do swear that John Boss, the petitioner above named, has resided within
the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the
State of Pennsylvania one year; that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Con-
stitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed before me
this 8th day of June A. D. 1892 } Gottfried Thumm
A. J. Lawrence Clerk
Prothonotary.